## **KEEP INFORMED ABOUT UDOT'S I-215 WEST PROJECT:**

#### What's happening?

### I-215 SB WILL BE FULLY OPEN TO FOUR LANES OF TRAFFIC BY THE END OF SEPTEMBER

I-215 NB traffic will continue to be restricted to two lanes from Redwood Road to 4700 South, allowing crews to complete paving on schedule. It also provides a safer work zone and increases motorist safety. Motorists can expect all paving to be complete, with four lanes open NB and SB in late October.

#### What to expect in September:

#### Southbound (SB) I-215

- Crews will complete construction and reopen both the 4700 South on-ramp to I-215 SB and the Redwood Road off-ramp from I-215 SB.
- I-215 SB traffic will open to four lanes.

#### Northbound (NB) I-215

 I-215 NB traffic will switch to the new pavement, and paving of existing lanes will begin.

# WHO CAN I CONTACT WITH QUESTIONS OR PROBLEMS?

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Send an email to i-215west@comcast.net

- Redwood Road on-ramps to I-215 NB will close until late October.
  Use 4700 S. NB on-ramp as an alternate to Redwood Rd. on-ramps.
- 4700 South off-ramp from I-215 NB will close until late October.
  Use Redwood Rd. or 3500 S. NB offramps as alternates to 4700 S. off-ramp.
- I-215 NB outside lane from approximately 4700 S. to 3800 S. will close for noise wall construction until late October.

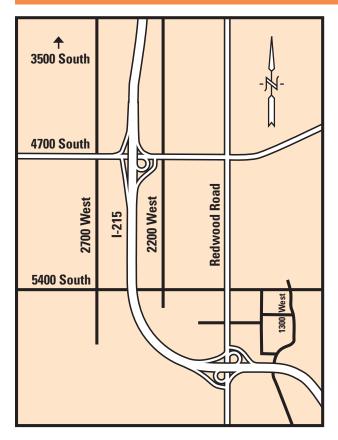
# What can I do to reduce congestion and avoid delays?

- Please take note, plan ahead and exercise extra caution and courtesy toward construction crews, other drivers and pedestrians in these areas.
- We recommend using alternate routes including Redwood Road, 2700 West and 3500 South.
- Watch for lane restrictions along I-215 and shoulder restrictions on adjacent streets during construction.



It is likely that nighttime pile driving will occur during the last week of September on the east side of the freeway at 4700 S. We apologize for the disruption to those of you who lost sleep at the end of last month. I-215 construction crews needed to drive several piles under high voltage transmission power lines at 4700 South. These power lines supply much of the power to the west side of the valley. Unfortunately, due to energy demand, Utah Power was only able to re-route the power and de-energize these lines between the hours of 12:00 am to 5:00 am. Similarly, during the last week of September, energy demands will determine whether pile driving activities will need to be conducted at night or not.

Additional information will be posted on the I-215 Website and in the weekly email construction update when the final decision is determined.



The second phase of the I-215 West Widening Project is almost 85% complete and scheduled for full completion at the end of November. Major impacts are anticipated for I-215 commuters and traffic on adjacent streets such as Redwood Road, 5400 South and 4700 South. Additional nighttime and weekend closures may be required as the project advances.

The following schedule gives an idea of when you may be affected by major construction impacts. It may change due to bad weather or unforeseen events.

#### September

All SB ramps will be open. SB I-215 will open to 4 lanes in late September. Both NB I-215 lanes will shift to the new pavement and paving the outside lanes will begin. Redwood Road on-ramps to NB I-215 will close. 4700 South off-ramp from NB I-215 will close.

#### **October**

All paving will be complete. NB and SB I-215 will open to 4 lanes.

Construction will occur during daylight hours, weather permitting. Changes in hours will be announced as they occur.

check with www.CommuterLink.utah.gov or call the free 511 Travel Information Line.

Please call 801-949-6767 or 801-530-0933 Check out the l-215 website at www.udot.utah.gov/i-215west

INFORMATION ON THE I-215 WEST PROJECT:



